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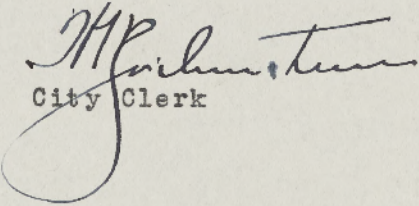
My dear Mrs. Manley

I am very thankful to you for the invitation to attend the opening ball game of the Negro National League at Ruppert Stadium, Sunday, May 14th, at 2:00 P.M.

I cannot, however, accept this invitation due to the fact that at that particular hour I am scheduled to address a group in an endeavor to raise funds for the underprivileged and oppressed. Mr. Stewart failed to contact me and perhaps had he done so I might have arranged a substitute in order to attend the opening game. However, I could not arrange this at this late date.

Please accept my sincere best wishes for a successful season, and with the hope that I may see your team in action at some time during the season in the very near future, I am

Most sincerely


City Clerk

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